



DISTRICT 2 E-NEWS

From the Office of Commissioner Virginia Vigil

October - 2011

Road Closure of Agua Fria St. and Lopez Lane

On Monday October 17th. The Agua Fria Community Water Association will be installing 2 - 12" caps on the existing 12" line to separate water zones. In order to complete this utility construction activity, it will require that the entire intersection at Lopez Lane will be closed. A detour with traffic control devices will be coordinated by Blueline Construction Inc. the contractor. If you have questions, call Blueline at 505.216.7909

District 2 Has New Boundaries:

Lost in the redistricting boundaries was the area around the state capital that once was a part of this voting district where voters went to Alta Vista Public Schools Administration Building and St. John's Methodist Church. Gained is the area west of Lopez, Jemez, South Meadows all the way to 599 and north of Airport Rd. The area where Fin del Sendero and some of Tano Rd. was lost to District 1. The new boundary maps are available on our web site at www.santafecounty.org The GIS staff person who worked on this was Erle Wright who also worked on the 2000 redistricting. He can be reached at 505.986.6350 or ewright@santafecounty.org for any questions.

Tano Rd. Clean Up

Morning Trash Bash with Burritos provided by Tano Neighborhood Association this Saturday, October 15. Meet at the mailboxes off Camino Montano around 8 a.m. Bags, vests, and gloves will be provide. That evening Rich and Jean Higgins will host a pot luck at their home at 6pm. For more information contact Pam Preston at 577.7800 or ppreston@cybermesa.com

Agua Fria Phase 3 is Complete:

No more dirt and washboard road between Siler Rd. and San Isidro Crossing. After at least 8 yrs. this project is at a Substantial Completion state. This means there are inspections being done and punch lists created for any construction needs that must be done before the project is complete. Public Works has informed me that the first punch list was created yesterday and based on that there will still need to be repairs that will require traffic re-directing.

Caja del Rio Construction Upgrade:

A public hearing was held on Wed. Oct. 12 regarding the improvements that will be made to the Caja del Rio Rd. scheduled to start midyear of 2012. Bohannon Huston is the engineering firm working on the project. Comments were taken and the contractor has responses to questions posed. Some of those comments include:

- Reduce the speed limit.
- Add passing lanes
- Educate public about alternate routes
- Ask City to participate in funding
- Interchange of 599 and CR 62 will also be under construction
- Signage for bikes

There were 10 residents in attendance. Some of the questions and concerns were brought forth by email. To get a summary of the minutes contact Jeanette Walther the drafter of the summary at 1.800.877.5332 Santa Fe Public Works office can also be contacted. Call Carlos Vigil at 505.992.3018

CR 62 and 599 Interchange Public Meeting:

Last Wednesday a public hearing was hosted by the Department of Transportation regarding the design and build of this interchange. The benefit of this interchange is it will be a connector to South Meadows and Jaguar Rd. Discussed at the meeting was artwork for the bridge.

Comments were taken on bicycle, pedestrian and equestrian issues as well as natural and cultural resources. For further information of this contact Eric Johnson with Marron and Associates at 505.898.8848 or eric@marroninc.com

Santa Fe – October 12, 2011 – Below is a summary of the actions taken by the Santa Fe Board of County Commissioners. All five Commissioners were present.

Consent Calendar:

The BCC approved Final Orders for CDRC Case # V 11-5150, Jose Chris Tercero Variance

Procurement:

The BCC unanimously approved a contract in the amount of \$284,100 to remodel the Nambe Community Center was awarded to Longhorn Construction

Growth Management:

The Board authorized publish of title and general summary for an ordinance that would suspend on a case by case basis provisions of the Land Development Code for master plans, preliminary plats and final plats that have expired due to economic hardship

Matters From the County Clerk:

An ordinance establishing reasonable fees to recover costs in the Clerk's Office was tabled

Matters From the County Manager:

- Redistricting option map C2 was unanimously approved and adopted through County Ordinance 2011-8. The map and Ordinance are available at www.santafecounty.org/county_commissioners/redistricting
- Property and Facilities Director Mark Hogan gave the BCC an update on his communication with the Santa Fe Public School District regarding possible relocation of Agua Fria Elementary School

Public Hearings:

The following cases were approved:

- BCC Case #MIS 11-5280, Santa Fe Spirits Alcohol Craft Distiller
- BCC Case #MIS 11-5290, The Steaksmith at El Gancho
- BCC Case #MIS 11-5300, Don Quixote Distillery and Winery
- CDRC Case #V 11-5210, Edwin & Francesca Lemus Variance

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